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INCORPORATING SAME

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Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Primary Examiner mailed February 9, 2000 finally rejecting claims 15-22.

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Respectfully submitted,

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Transmitted herewith for filing are a Notice of Appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences in the above-captioned application, sent with Certificate of Mailing thereon.

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